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 Name of Patentee: Mitsuaki Oshima et al.  
 Title of Invention: MARK FORMING APPARATUS, METHOD OF FORMING LASER MARK ON OPTICAL DISK, REPRODUCING APPARATUS, OPTICAL DISK AND METHOD OF PRODUCING OPTICAL DISK

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At Column 42, line 20, claim 28 of the Letters Patent,  
after "trimmed" add -- by a laser --

as indicated on page 9, line 12, claim 31 of the Amendment dated December 19, 2002

Claim 31 of the Amendment is claim 28 of the Letters Patent

At Column 42, line 23, claim 28 of the Letters Patent,

delete "on a track of" and add -- functioning as a track on --

as indicated on page 3, line 15, claim 31 of the Second Supplemental Preliminary  
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Claim 31 of the Second Supplemental Preliminary Amendment is claim 28 of the  
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At Column 42, line 30, claim 29 of the Letters Patent,

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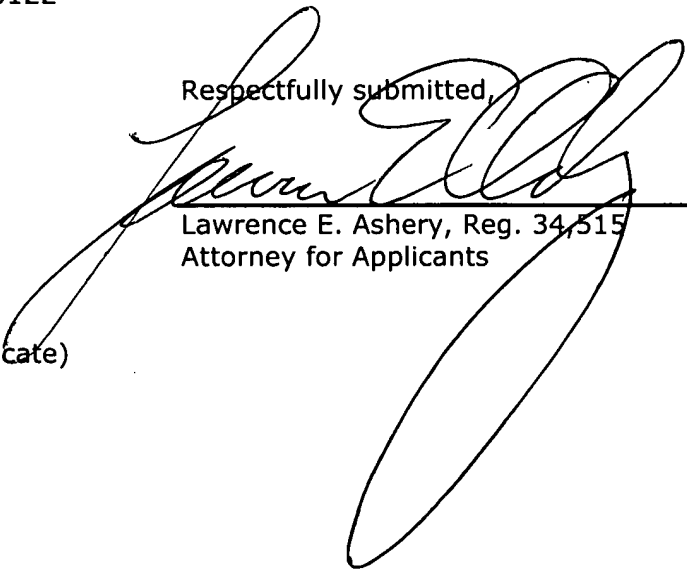
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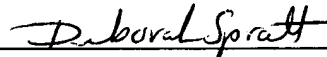
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